

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 482  
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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Johnny Holder for  
meritorious service to the citizens of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Johnny Holder, who has recently been named Register of the Year by the Northeast Tennessee Register's Association; and

WHEREAS, Debbie Tittle, Unicoi County Register of Deeds and President of the Northeast Association, announced the award and praised Mr. Holder's monumental contributions to the Northeast Tennessee Register's Association as a Charter Member and as the organization's first President; and

WHEREAS, this remarkable individual has twice served as President of the Tennessee Register's Association in 1990 and 2002, and he was previously selected Register of the Year by the State Register's Association in 1996; and

WHEREAS, a man known for willingly giving aid to his fellow registers and for his encouraging words, Mr. Holder is also a walking billboard for Carter County; his affection for his county and his love for its citizens is abundantly evident; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his exceptional work as the Carter County Register of Deeds, Johnny Holder still finds time to lend his talents to such notable causes as serving as a member of the Masons, as a former Master of Dashiell Masonic Lodge, and for the past twenty years, as Chairman of the Shriner's Crippled Children Committee for Carter County; and

WHEREAS, Johnny Holder epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, a faithful member of East Side Free Will Baptist Church, Mr. Holder serves with distinction as the Sunday School Superintendent; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Johnny Holder for his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Johnny Holder for his meritorious service to the State of Tennessee, congratulate him on being named Register of the Year by they Northeast Tennessee Register's Association, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.